IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner: W. Watkins III n re application of:

Art Unit: 1772 Bakker, et al.

Serail No.: 08/977,374

Filed: November 24, 1997

For: SHRINKING FILM ONTO

AN OPEN-TOPPED CONTAINER DEVICE

FOR HEAT

44114 Cleveland, Ohio Attorney Docket No.

October 7, 1999 PZN 2 0017

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Box: AF

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from a decision of the primary Examiner mailed April 12, 1999 finally rejecting claims 36-46.

The items checked below are appropriate:

STATUS OF APPLICANT 1.

This application is on behalf of a small entity.

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2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

small entity \$150.00

3. EXTENSION OF TERM

Request for Extension of Time with required fee is attached.

4. TOTAL FEES DUE
The total fee due is:
Notice of Appeal Fee:

\$150.00

5. **FEE PAYMENT**Attached is a check in the amount of \$150.00.

If any additional extension and/or fee is required this is a request therefor and charge Account No. 06-0308.

AND/OR

If any additional fee for claims is required charge Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully Submitted,

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